

**OCTOBER 4, 2006 MEETING**

**374 HALL OF ADMINISTRATION**

**MINUTES**

**Commissioners Present**

Renée Campbell, President  
Steven Afriat, Vice President  
Martha Molina-Aviles  
Diana Wood, Secretary  
James Barger

**County Representatives**

Joseph Dangerfield, Treasurer & Tax Collector  
Nancy Takade, County Counsel  
Jaime Ortega, Sheriff's Department  
Thomas Arellano, Sheriffs Department  
Scott Hennessy, Sheriffs Department  
Terri McLaughlin, Sheriffs Department  
Jose Rubio, Regional Planning  
Javier Martinez, Building and Safety

**Commissioners Absent**

**Commission Services Staff**

Sandra Barbee  
Rhonda Rangel

**Court Reporter**

Michelle Diaz

**Guests**

Susan Jordan  
Armando Avalos  
Sal Mesa  
Anhdao Truang

**CALL TO ORDER**

Vice President Afriat called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, applicants and witnesses were sworn.

**MINUTES**

**ACTION TAKEN: MINUTES of September 27, 2006 – APPROVED**

**Motion: Secretary Wood, seconded by Commissioner Molina-Aviles**

**Vote: Unanimously Carried**

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

### **Recommendation to Deny Massage Technician Business License #132744**

Chuan C. Li  
China Acupuncture Clinic  
6513 Whittier Boulevard  
Los Angeles (1<sup>st</sup> District)

Attorney for applicant has requested a two-week continuance, due to scheduling conflict.

**ACTION TAKEN: The Commission voted to continue the item until October 18, 2006.**

**Motion: Vice-President Afriat, Seconded by Commissioner Barger**

**Vote: Unanimously Carried**

### **Recommendation to Deny Public Eating Business license # 133244**

Armando Avalos  
Avalos Taco House  
4129 City Terrace Drive  
Los Angeles (1st District)

Joseph Dangerfield, Treasurer and Tax Collector reported that the recommendation for denial was from the Sheriff's Department. Mr. Dangerfield reported that the applicant previously had a license, but when the applicant tried to pay the renewal fee, the license had gone past the expiration date and extension date and the applicant had to apply for new license. Deputy Ortega, Sheriff's Department, reported on the details of the applicant's denial and presented: incident reports for the 4129 City Terrace Drive, a list of residents opposing the business being opened, and calls for service from the 4299 City Terrace address. Jose Rubio, Regional Planning, provided photos of the business at 4299 City Terrace drive.

**ACTION TAKEN: The Commission agreed to uphold the recommendation to deny the renewal of the above mentioned license.**

**Motion: Commissioner Molina-Aviles, Seconded by Vice-President Afriat**

**Ayes: Vice-President Afriat, Commissioners Molina-Aviles, Barger.**

**Nayes: President Campbell, Commissioner Woods**

**Vote: Duly Carried**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS-** Sal Mesa, President of MASH, commented on a follow-up to the decision to limit catering trucks on public streets. He is waiting until it takes effect. Mr. Mesa also voiced his concerns regarding illegal vendors with motorless carts and the increase in his neighborhood. Mr. Mesa stated that he refers his complaints to the East Los Angeles Sheriffs Department, but nothing has been done.

**COMMISSIONERS COMMENTS:** Secretary Woods said that she attended Ethics Training and received a certificate for attending.

**MATTERS NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA:** There were none.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The Commission adjourned at 10:34 a.m.

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Renée Campbell  
President